

Treasury Department,

Bureau of the Mint,

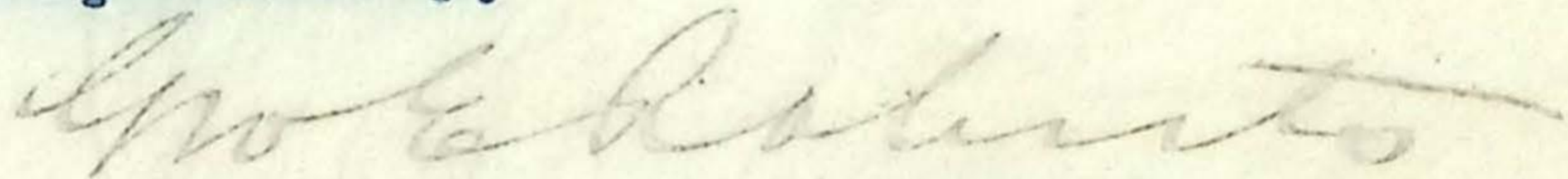
Washington, D. C. November 28, 1899.

Mr. A. G. Brice,
Nennen Building, New Orleans, La.

Dear Sir:

Your letter of the 23rd instant relative to the case of Mr. Silas Frothingham, late employe of the Mint, is at hand. Mr. Frothingham was given an opportunity to reply in writing to the charges preferred against him and his replay was forwarded with a copy of the charges and the Superintendent's recommendation to this office. Upon a review of the same the Superintendent's recommendation what he be dismissed was approved. It is not desired to reopen the case.

Respectfully,



Director of the Mint.